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The Students of Hollis High School respectfully dedicate the 1952 issue of The Sunbeam

To

MILDRED S. COREY

Our teacher and friend, who has worked faithfully with us for the past three years.







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Beverly Bradbury    Albert MacDonald

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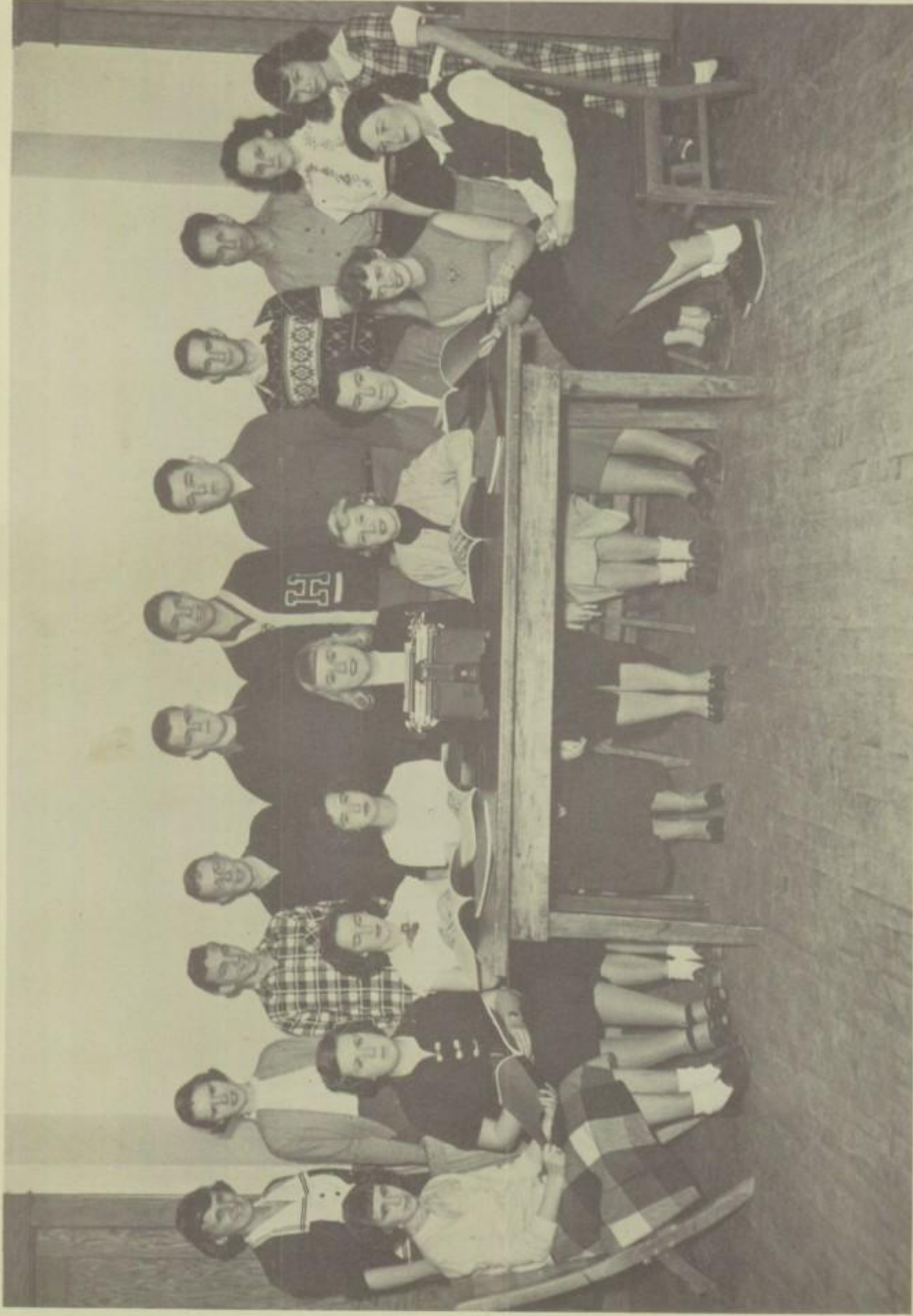


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# *Editorial Board*



Seated, Left to Right. Muriel Hamilton, Carolyn Haley, Mary Grant, Leona Smith, Sheila Flanagan, Genice Rowe, Mildred Hanson, Alice Benson, Gloria Bickford.

Standing: Judy Smith, Ellen Pelton, Alden Ramsdell, Kenneth Smith, Frank Hanson, Everett Towle, Donald Day, Albert MacDonald, Carl Huff, Shirley Huff, Evelyn Whitten.

Absent: Sylvia Nichols.





## *Faculty*



Mildred S. Corey, James H. Flynn, Donald M. Russell.

## *Student Council*



Seated, Left to Right: Genice Rowe, Polly Davis, Alvin Harmon, Sheila Flanagan, Gloria Bickford, Shirley Huff.

Standing: Beverly Bradbury, Rachel MacDonald, Everett Towle, Albert MacDonald.





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### STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council at Hollis High School is a very active group. After electing our officers and class representatives for the year, we settled down to real business. Since we have no athletic association, the council acts in that capacity. This year we ordered new uniforms for the girls and boys basketball teams.

Our trophies have been gathering dust on an open shelf so we voted to have a new trophy cabinet built. This has been done and it is now in the assembly room.

In November, the State Student Council Convention was held at Deering High School, Portland. Sheila Flanagan, Gloria Bickford, Polly Davis and Shirley Huff represented Hollis. On Friday, after registering, we attended the different discussion groups. In the afternoon, Christopher Blake of Scotland, spoke on "The Aims of Education in a Democracy." We ate supper in the cafeteria and later attended a dance in the gymnasium. Saturday morning, the officers for the following year were elected and after dinner the convention closed. This brought together about 350 young people from all over the state and we enjoyed the exchange of ideas and the chance to meet so many new student council members.

We sponsored an interesting Christmas Party as our last activity in 1951. On February 15 we had a moving picture and Valentine Party.

On April 26, 1952 the Southwestern Maine Student Council Convention was held at Thornton Academy, Saco. The members who represented our Hollis Student Council were Sheila Flanagan, Gloria Bickford, Alvin Harmon and Everett Towle. After registering at 9:30 A. M., we listened to a lecture on "Student Council Morals." One representative from each school gave a report on the year's activities of his own council. Gloria gave the report for Hollis.

After lunch we listened to another speaker and then attended four discussion groups led by officers of the convention.

Later "The Maroon Crooners" and Senior Songsters of Thornton Academy furnished entertainment for the group. This was followed by a dance in the evening. These group meetings always help keep such organizations a vital part of any high school.







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Senior Statistics

Sheila Flanagan

Nickname - "Sheila"  
Pet Saying - "Goodness Gracious"  
Favorite Song - "The Best Things in Life are Free".  
Pastime - Movies and Dancing  
Ambition - School Teacher  
Fate - Minister

Alice Benson

Nickname - "Stinky"  
Pet Saying - "Dry up"  
Favorite Song - "Slow Poke" or "Cold Cold Heart".  
Pastime - Writing letters  
Ambition - To be a Secretary  
Fate - Housewife

Albert MacDonald

Nickname - "Mac"  
Pet Saying - "What did you say?"  
Favorite Song - "Don't Fence Me In".  
Pastime - Taking out women  
Ambition - Air Force  
Fate - Having Ten Children



SHEILA LOUISE FLANAGAN

"Like people and they will like you."

Valedictory

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Speaking 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 3, 4; Operetta 1, ; President of Student Council 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Secretary Student Council 3; President of Class 1; Secretary of Class 2; Editorial Board 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Spelling 4; Chorus 1, 3, 4; Band 3, 4.



GENICE ARDITH ROWE

"May her character be known by her face"

Salutatory

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary of Class 1; Operetta 3; Glee Club 3, 4; Chorus 1, 3, 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Editorial Board 3, 4; Spelling 4; Speaking 1; Horseshoes 1.



MARTHA MARY GRANT

"No one is small who does a small job in a great way."

Honor Essay

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; President of Class 2, 4; Vice-President of Class 1; Senior Play 3, 4; Chorus 1, 3, 4; Editorial Board 1, 2, 3, 4; Spelling 3; Speaking 1, 2; Glee Club 3, 4; Cheerleader 2, 3; Band 3, 4; Secretary of Class 3.







KENNETH ROBERT SMITH

"He that does the most, talks the least  
about what he is doing."

Class Will

Senior Play 3, 4; Vice-President of Class  
3; Secretary of Class 4; Glee Club 3; Edi-  
torial Board 3, 4.



MILDRED ELINOR HANSON

"It isn't necessary to blow out the other  
person's light in order to let your own  
Light shine."

Secretary of Class 1, 3; Speaking 2; Li-  
brarian 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 3, 4; Glee  
Club 3, 4; Band 1, 3, 4; Senior Play 4;  
Editorial Board 3, 4.

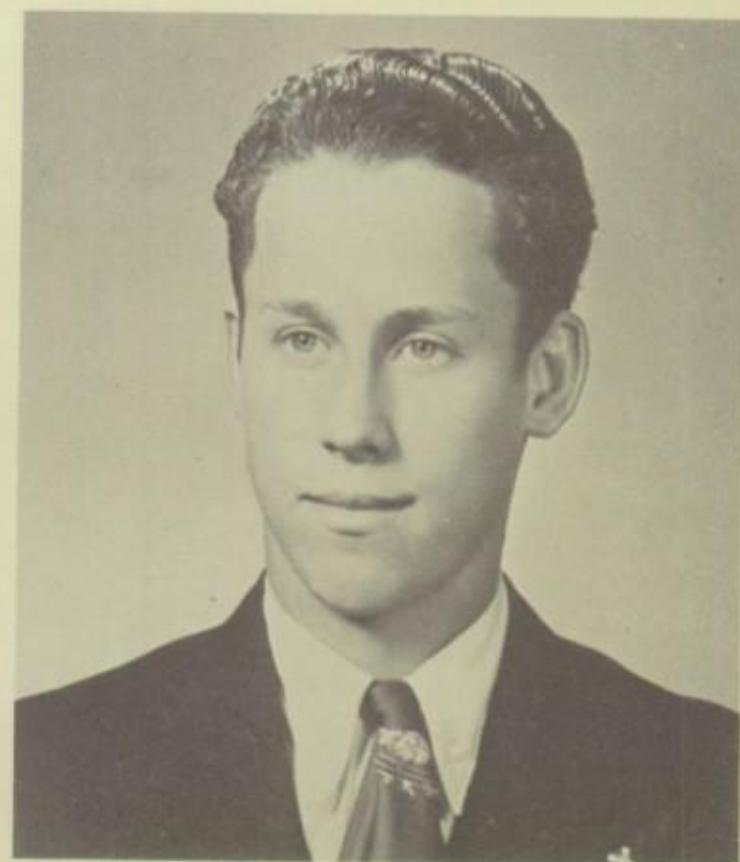


CARL LEIGHTON HUFF

"The finest spur to accomplishment is to  
have someone say it can't be done."

Class History

Senior Play 4; Operetta 3; Chorus 1, 3,  
4; Editorial Board 4; Glee Club 3.





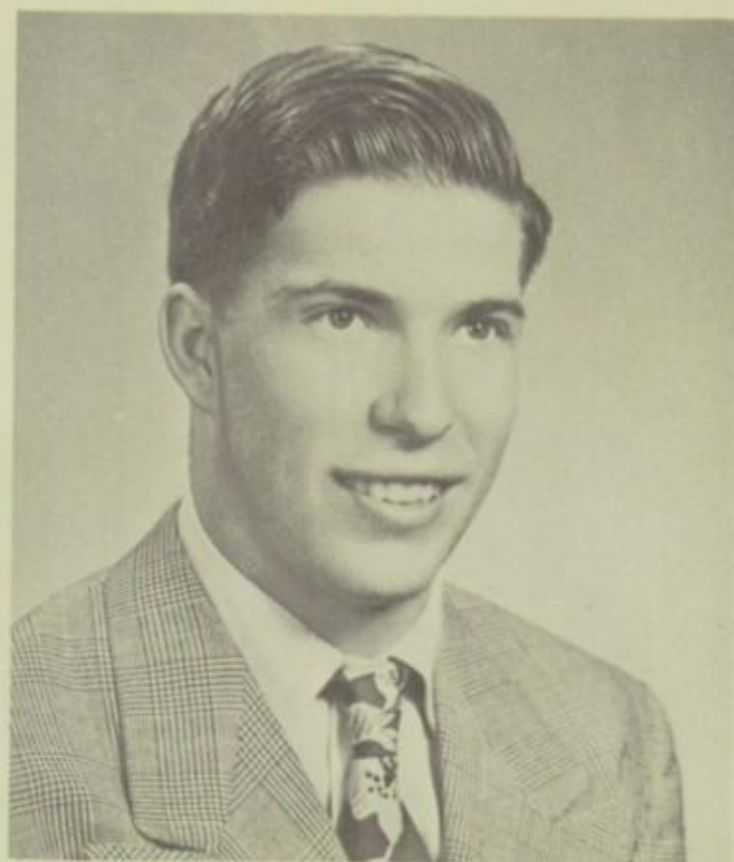


EVERETT LEONARD TOWLE

"The future is not in the stars, it is in the hearts of men."

Class Prophecy

Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Senior Play 4; Editorial Board 3, 4; Checkers 3, 4; Horseshoes 4; Chorus 4; Student Council 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Transferred from Thornton Academy.



ALICE MAY BENSON

"The time to make friends is before you need them."

Gifts

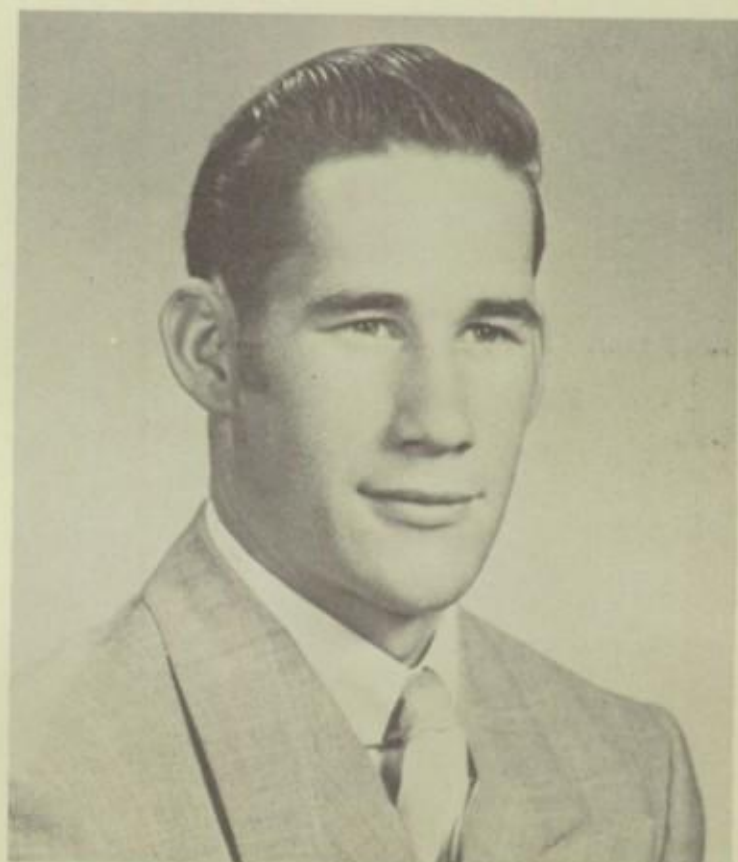
Class Treasurer 1, 2, 3, 4; Softball 2, 3, 4; Horseshoes 3, 4; Editorial Board 3, 4; Chorus 1, 3, 4; Spelling 4; Speaking 2; Senior Play 4.



ALBERT EDWARD MACDONALD

"A man achieves according to what he believes."

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Class President 3; Student Council 1, 4; Vice-President of Class 2; Basketball Manager 4; Checkers 2; Editorial Board 4; Senior Play Manager 4; Track 2, 3.







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Everett Towle

Nickname - "Ev"  
Pet Saying - "Silly girl"  
Favorite Song - "Shrimp Boats"  
Pastime - Girls  
Ambition - College  
Fate - Basketball Coach

Mary Grant

Nickname - "Shorty"  
Pet Saying - "Huh?"  
Favorite Song - "Stardust"  
Pastime - Listening to music with "Dodie".  
Ambition - Business College  
Fate - Getting Married

Mildred Hanson

Nickname - "Millie"  
Pet Saying - "Sugar Plum"  
Favorite Song - "The Stranger of Galilee".  
Pastime - Knitting and "Boss"  
Ambition - Nurse  
Fate - Dishwasher

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### Genice Rowe

Nickname - "Neetey"  
Pet Saying - "Oh, really?"  
Favorite Song - "The Rosary"  
Pastime - Listening to music  
Ambition - Secretary  
Fate - Bus Driver

### Carl Huff

Nickname - "Carl"  
Pet Saying - "Don't let it bother you,  
just skin and bones".  
Favorite Song - "The Bible on the Table"  
Pastime - Listening to the radio  
Ambition - Electronic Technician  
Fate - Sailor

### Kenneth Smith

Nickname - "Ken"  
Pet Saying - "I don't know"  
Favorite Song - "Swamp Girl"  
Pastime - Fishing  
Ambition - Game Warden  
Fate - An Actor



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COMMENCEMENT PROGRAM

WEST DUXTON BAPTIST CHURCH

June 13, 1952

PROCESSIONAL MARCH

Invocation ..... Rev. Helen Holman

Salutatory ..... Genice Rowe  
Our Town, Hollis

Class History ..... Carl Huff

Class Prophecy ..... Everett Towle

Honor Essay ..... Mary Grant  
Historic Homes

Music

The Hills of Dear Old Maine -- Glee Club

Class Will ..... Kenneth Smith

Honor Essay ..... Mildred Hanson  
Maine Leads

Presentation of Gifts ..... Alice Benson  
Albert MacDonald

Valedictory ..... Sheila Flanagan  
What's in a Name

Music

Grand State of Maine -- Glee Club

Awarding of Prizes

Conferring of Diplomas ..... Supt. Melville Johnson

Class Ode ..... Senior Class

Benediction ..... Rev. Foster Nelson

RECEPTION AND PROM



# AUTOGRAPHS

Mary Grant  
 Mary 55  
 Lowell 55  
 Sheila Flanagan  
 Nancy Haskell  
 Robert Davis  
 Robert Davis 53  
 Robert Davis  
 Shirley Huff 53  
 Helen 55  
 Leona Smith 53  
 Mildred Hanson 52  
 Mildred S. Corey  
 Maria Bickford  
 Paul Hanson  
 George Hanson  
 Judy Smith 53  
 Charlene Flanagan  
 Evelyn Whitten  
 "Er" Fowler  
 Muriel Hamilton  
 Don Russell  
 "Mac" Benton  
 Skip Rasmussen  
 Fred  
 Alvin Hanson  
 Walter Grant  
 Genie Rowe  
 Mayorie Emmons  
 Barbara Matthews  
 Norma Husman  
 Raymond Haskell 55  
 Bill R.  
 Frank Hanson  
 Evelyn Hill  
 Donnie Hill  
 Rock  
 McDonald  
 Lyle  
 Lewis Thompson  
 Beverly Bradbury  
 Carl Hill  
 Jimmy  
 James H. Flynn  
 C. Day  
 Cecil Benson  
 Paul Macdonald (55)  
 Carolyn J. Hill  
 Class of '54  
 Dot Miles  
 Irene Meserve  
 Alice Benson



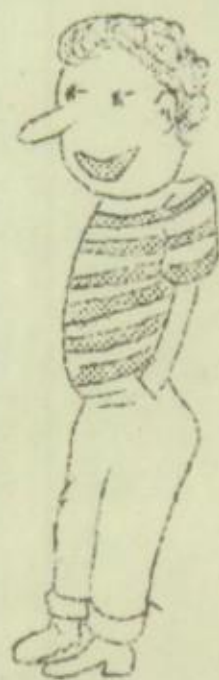
# UNDERCLASSMEN



FRESHMEN



SOPHOMORES



JUNIORS





# Group



Front Row: C. Smith, C. Benson, M. Johnson, S. Huff, M. Grant, B. Bradbury, Mrs. Corey, Mr. Flynn, Mr. Russell, C. Flanagan, N. Harriman, G. Bickford, E. Whitten, D. Hill, W. Grant.

Second Row: M. Hamilton, L. Smith, R. MacDonald, D. Miles, C. Haley, S. Flanagan, G. Johnson, C. Huff, A. MacDonald, K. Smith, R. Haskell, M. Hanson, J. Smith, A. Benson, G. Rowe, M. Emmons, E. Pelton, P. Davis, J. Meserve.

Third Row: C. Johnson, G. Hanson, I. Benton, A. Harmon, F. Hanson, P. MacDonald, E. Towle, J. Miles, D. Day, W. Ramsdell, L. Haskell, K. Smith, C. Haskell, F. Mawhinney, J. Harmon, A. Ramsdell.

Absent: R. Havu, L. Thompson, P. Hanson, S. Nichols, B. Matthews, R. Ham, E. Hill.





## *Freshman Class*



Seated, Left to Right: Evelyn Whitten, June Meserve, Paul MacDonald, Charlene Flanagan, Dorothy Miles, Beverly Bradbury.

Second Row: Carl Smith, Frederick Mawhinney, Marjorie Johnson, Carlton Benton, Norma Harriman, Charles Johnson, Cecil Benson.

Third Row: Clinton Haskell, Raymond Haskell, Donald Day, William Ramsdell, Donald Hill.

Absent: Paul Hanson, Louis Thompson, Sylvia Nichols, Robert Havu.

## *Sophomore Class*



Seated, Left to Right: Marjorie Emmons, Carolyn Haley, Alden Ramsdell, Alvin Harmon, Rachel MacDonald, Walter Grant.

Standing: George Hanson, Kerry Smith, Gerald Johnson, James Harmon.

Absent: Evelyn Hill, Barbara Matthews, Richard Ham.





## THE FRESHMAN CLASS

On September 4, 1951, twenty-one freshmen entered Hollis High School for the first time. During the second week of school, we held our first class meeting and the following officers were elected.

President - Lewis Thompson  
 Vice President - Paul MacDonald  
 Secretary - Charlene Flanagan  
 Treasurer - June Meserve

Our Student Council Representative is Beverly Bradbury.

The Juniors had charge of the Freshman Reception and they certainly gave us a good time. We had a toboggan party during the first week of January and it was so much fun that we had a second party. Several members of our class are planning to take part in prize speaking this year. Our class sponsored a dance March 21 which was a big success. Lewis Thompson represented us in the checker tournament at Limerick.

In basketball our class has been represented by:

Paul MacDonald	Bill Ramsdell
Frederick Mawhinney	Donald Hill
Paul Hanson	Robert Havu
Clinton Haskell	Charlene Flanagan
Carlton Benton	Beverly Bradbury

Bill Ramsdell and Frederick Mawhinney pitched on the horseshoe team.

Spring means baseball. Participating in this are: Don Lay, Lewis Thompson, Paul MacDonald, Paul Hanson, Carlton Benton, Fred Mawhinney, Clinton Haskell and Bill Ramsdell.

Class of 1955

Cecil Benson <i>B</i>	Clinton Haskell <i>B</i>	Frederick Mawhinney <i>G</i>
Carlton Benton <i>B</i>	Raymond Haskell	June Meserve
Beverly Bradbury	Robert Havu	Dorothy Miles <i>B</i>
Donald Day <i>B</i>	Donald Hill	Sylvia Nichols <i>B</i>
Charlene Flanagan	Charles Johnson	William Ramsdell <i>B</i>
Paul Hanson <i>B</i>	Marjorie Johnson	Carl Smith
Norma Harriman	Paul MacDonald <i>B</i>	Lewis Thompson <i>B</i>
	Evelyn Whitten <i>B</i>	

*Fred Hill - G.*



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### SOPHOMORE CLASS

We came back in September for another exciting year, and at the end of the first week, we elected our class officers and student council representatives.

There were sixteen of us in the fall but during the first semester, Donald Hanson, Patricia Huwe, and Donald Haskell left school.

In October, we sponsored a Columbus Day Dance at the school and on April 18 we had an April Shower Dance.

Those taking part in school athletics from the Class of 1954 are:

Rachel MacDonald	James Harmon
Barbara Matthews	George Hanson
Carolyn Haley	Richard Ham
Alvin Harmon	Alden Ramsdell

#### Prize Speaking:

Richard Ham	James Harmon
Barbara Matthews	

#### Class Officers:

President	Alvin Harmon
Vice President	Alden Ramsdell
Secretary	Evelyn Hill
Treasurer	Richard Ham
Student Council	Rachel MacDonald
	Alvin Harmon

#### Class of 1954

Marjorie Emmons  
Walter Grant  
Carolyn Haley  
Richard Ham  
George Hanson  
Alvin Harmon

James Harmon  
Evelyn Hill  
Gerald Johnson  
Barbara Matthews  
Rachel MacDonald  
Alden Ramsdell

Kerry Smith



## *Junior Class*



Seated, Left to Right: Muriel Hamilton, Leona Smith, Ellen Pelton, Lloyd Haskell, Judy Smith, Shirley Huff.

Standing: Polly Davis, Frank Hanson, John Miles, Gloria Bickford.

## *Senior Play Cast*



First Row, Left to Right: Mary Grant, Ellen Pelton.

Second Row, Sitting: Everett Towle, Sheila Flanagan, Genice Rowe, Kenneth Smith.

Third Row, Standing: Mrs. Corey, Alice Benson, Gloria Bickford, Mildred Hanson, Alden Ramsdell, Carl Huff.





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### THE JUNIOR CLASS

After we were all settled and back to the regular routine, we held our first class meeting in the library to elect the following class officers.

President - Lloyd Haskell  
Vice President - Ellen Pelton  
Secretary - Leona Smith  
Treasurer - Judy Smith  
Student Council Representatives -  
Gloria Bickford, Polly Davis and  
Shirley Huff

We started out with a membership of eleven but in February, Beatrice Osmond moved to Connecticut leaving us a membership of ten.

We sponsored the Freshman Reception this year and later a Don Kent Western Show. In November our Student Council Representatives went to Deering High School to the State Student Council Association Meeting of Secondary Schools. On March 28 our class held a card party at the school, and on May 2, at West Buxton, we had the annual Junior Prom. The Queen was Gloria Bickford and the King was Lloyd Haskell.

In the school orchestra, Gloria Bickford plays the drums, Polly Davis the piano-accordion, and Leona Smith the violin. Those taking part in Prize Speaking are Ellen Pelton, Muriel Hamilton, Shirley Huff, Leona Smith, Frank Hanson and John Miles. Leona Smith represented the class at the C.Y.C.L. Spelling Contest. Several members of the class are on the Editorial Board and a few are librarians. Gloria Bickford represented our school in the checker tournament at Limerick.

We are well represented in athletics. Polly Davis, Gloria Bickford, Judy Smith, Muriel Hamilton, and Lloyd Haskell are our basketball players. Judy Smith and Muriel Hamilton participated in the Horse-shoe Tournament.

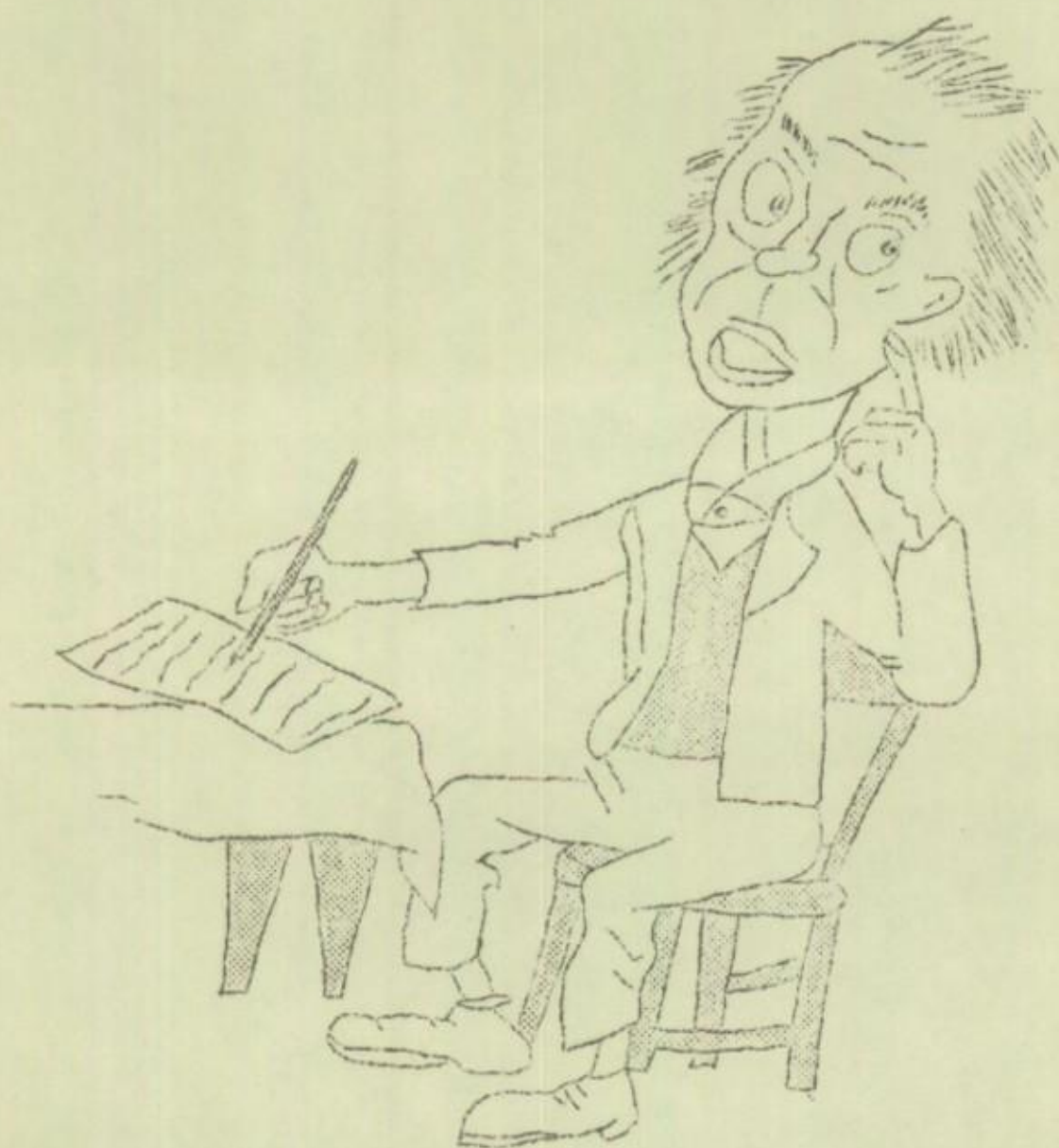
### CLASS OF 1953

Gloria Bickford  
Polly Davis  
Muriel Hamilton  
Frank Hanson  
Lloyd Haskell

Shirley Huff  
John Miles  
Ellen Pelton  
Judy Smith  
Leona Smith







LITERATURE





# EDITORIALS

## We're Going to College

We're going to college next fall! We hold the key to the solution of the campus drinking problem which faces American colleges and Universities today.

No doubt we are already forming plans for our college career. We have a general idea of the courses we will take, where we are going to room and board, and the approximate cost of our first year of college. Naturally we are looking forward to the good times which go along with college life today.

But have we given much thought to the kind of good times we want at college? Will we want to go along with the gang and be "one of the bunch"? Do we want to be a "frat man" or a "sorority gal"? Do we want to be athletes? Whether these activities interest us or not, we want to be accepted in college society. And this fact brings us to the big question. Are we going to drink? Will we be left out if we don't?

Today we are seniors in high school. We set the examples for those who follow us. Tomorrow we will be college freshmen - we will be just "more fish in the stream." We will have a big adjustment to make, and the way in which we make this adjustment may influence our entire life.

Drinking among college students has become a socially accepted thing. In fact, a certain kind of society encourages it. Some student entertainments often center around alcohol. Drinking is now looked upon as part of belonging to some fraternities, sororities and other organizations. In some colleges a student who does not drink is often considered anti-social.

We have to decide whether we want to follow the mob, drink up and be a jolly good fellow - or use our own better judgment and be different. Now, being different is one of the most difficult things in life.



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If we, next year's college freshmen, follow in the footsteps of those before us and forget our own individuality, this situation may get worse. The only solution is for us to change the trend of college society by not drinking.

Sheila Flanagan '52

### American Legion Prize Winning Essay 1951

#### One World

The world today has been tattered and torn to pieces. There are many different opinions and different political parties in the world that are working cunningly against each other; each party waiting for a favorable opportunity to strike in order to come into power. Countries and nations do not trust each other and each country continues its endless struggle to uphold its power.

Let us gather this broken world, piece by piece, and carefully fit into place with careful but firm hands. This world needs to come together, it needs to be pieced together with the help of God. Faith and trust need to be developed among nations. People must change their war minded attitudes into kindness to everyone and have the desire to work together.

What is the fate of the world tomorrow? Certainly people thought about this same question back in the early 1900's, but what did they do about it? Did they think about teaching their children the right things? That is the hope for the future. Today's children must be trained if we expect to have a future of peace and understanding.

Germany's children were taught Nazism before and during the Second World War. Do they still believe in it?



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How long does it take for a child to forget and disregard a creed that he has been taught and has believed in all his life? Germany may have been conquered as a country but it will be a long time before the growing young people will settle down to peaceful and happy living. Nazism was stamped into their minds every day and they believed in it. They were not aware of any other belief. Our children need to be taught the tolerance, faith, kindness, justice, honesty, and reverence, that constitutes the only solution for a world of peace tomorrow.

If America is to play a fully developed roll in the world of tomorrow, we need more of the spirit that was with us through the last war. It's time that most of us, wrapped in our own small problems, faced the facts of postwar life. With the same tools we can create products for peace. We need more of the courage that our boys had when they flew over Germany and Japan, and more of the patience of the mothers, fathers, and wives who waited for them. We need, too, more sacrifice - not by the Servicemen, but by us at home. The businessmen who closed their offices, and the schools that helped to collect scrap iron, the women who rolled bandages for the Red Cross, and those who put their time and effort into entertainment for the Servicemen. These were small sacrifices but they were all necessary.

War is a terrible machine of destruction which profits no one, but costs much money and many heartaches. Nations fight because certain few men in a country get ambitious and want to "conquer the world" and of course people of other countries resent this aggression. That was the main issue of the Second World War. People were killed and life as a whole was ruined until the world got sick and tired of it. Even the countries that did not witness the horrors of war suffered greatly. Many children grew up and knew nothing except war. We can hope that they get the desire to do away with war, hope that they hate it - hate it enough to outlaw war forever. It is in this hope that there lies a chance for a true understanding among all people, a world of happiness and brotherhood - not a world that is broken to pieces.

How can I alter the course of two billion people? If I believe in myself, take an active interest in America, in her government, in her people and recognize



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that "eternal vigilance is the price of freedom", if I use what influence I have in a democratic government for all the peoples of the earth, and if I - above all - have faith that God will show me wisdom and justice, I should not need to fear the war clouds that hang over me today.

America is my challenge and since I believe in my country as a government of the people, by the people, and for the people; a perfect union, established upon those principles of freedom, equality, justice and humanity, then I consider it my duty to my country to live in it, and obey its laws, support its constitution, respect its flag and defend it against all enemies if necessary. To me this is patriotism.

Sheila Flanagan '52

### Leaders of our Future

Who is there among us who does not hope that 1952 will mean a lessening of tension between nations? Above all, who does not pray for freedom and peace for the whole world?

This future is closely linked with our young people. The brightest, surest hope for Americans rests with these boys and girls from farm and city. Through the 4-H Clubs, Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts and other organizations, I believe they will be prepared to assume leadership. It is through their courage and leadership that America will be kept great and free.

Leona Smith '53



# STORIES

## The Extra Something

"You know, Eben," said the kindly and well-to-do businessman, "There's no use of a young man going into business unless he can show a good reason why he believes he's going to succeed. Figures show that ninety per cent of all new business enterprises fail. The chances are ten to one against you".

Eben Wayne listened in consternation. He had asked his elder for a loan with which to start a store of his own. The man noted Eben's dilemma, and came to his rescue.

"You can succeed, Eben," he assured, "but you've got to give people something better than they can get elsewhere. Just because you open up a store isn't any reason for them to transfer their trade to you. You've got to give them an awfully good reason for patronizing you. If you don't, you'll go the way of the ninety per cent. Remember the story of the mousetrap? Well, it's true that people will go out of their way to patronize a man who has something plus to offer".

"I'll tell you what I'll do," continued the man, meditatively, "I'll provide the money if you'll figure out a way to give every customer something extra - something he doesn't get elsewhere. Think you can handle it"?

Eben Wayne was excited with the idea of starting in business for himself, and did not comprehend the full import of the condition imposed. It looked unusual to him, and too, he was a bit nervous about the ninety per cent business casualty record. But before many days he was able to set up a small store, all his own.

It was the thrill of his life when the first customer walked in. She bought a bottle of milk - not an impressive order. Now he remembered his promise to his benefactor. But what could he give extra - with a bottle of milk!



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Eben had to think fast. He observed that the woman was carrying a number of small parcels. "May I put all those packages into a large sack?" he offered. "They'll be easier to carry".

"Why, thanks; that's very thoughtful of you," she said, surprised.

The next customer came in a few minutes later, and bought eighty-five cents' worth of groceries. Eben was so elated he nearly fainted. He was so grateful that he gave the buyer two cents extra change. "Two per cent discount on orders over seventy-five cents," he told her almost without thinking what he was saying. Eben never knew how he happened to say that; it was just as if someone had been speaking for him. It was certainly a happy idea, and an excellent way to encourage larger orders. It won many new customers for him.

The third customer was a woman with two children. She bought a loaf of bread and a can of beans. She wasn't very well dressed, and didn't look very happy. Eben gave each of the children a penny bar of candy, and the woman smiled. Some months later, the woman started a boardinghouse, and bought all of her supplies from Eben.

One day, when it was raining, Eben lent a customer his umbrella. After that, he put in a stock of a dozen umbrellas and kept them behind the counter, ready for the inevitable rainy days. No umbrella ever failed to come back in due time.

Eben Wayne took the attitude that every person who came as a customer was a friend who had a legitimate claim upon him. When he couldn't think of anything else as an extra, he would give a free sample of something - a slice of cheese, or an apple, or an interesting pamphlet with which he had provided himself. He was surprised how often this practice resulted in extra sales.

The little store of Eben Wayne soon became too small for the rapidly growing trade. First he produced larger quarters, and then he started a second store - after that, a third and a fourth. This kept on until Eben Wayne had made a fortune.

One day he was asked to tell the story of his success. "I can tell my story in nine words," he replied, smiling: "It is more blessed to give than to receive'."



## THE SUNBEAM

### ALL'S SQUARE

Steve shuddered as he passed the school building. How he dreaded the thought of going back tomorrow! School was swell most of the time with the new gymnasium and a championship football team. Now there was the broken window to consider and it was not just an ordinary one. It was the stained glass window that had been dedicated just last June by the graduating class, and it cost quite a lot of money.

Nobody knew that Steve had been the one who had broken it. He had not meant to break it, but accidents will happen sometimes. He was so proud of the lawn and garden around the new school and he had put many hours of work on it, so when he saw three cats digging in the garden it was natural to throw stones in their direction. Could he help it if the largest stone went too far and broke a small place in the window? The worst part of it all was that he couldn't pay for it even if he used all of his birthday money.

Tomorrow came. There were many glances and hushed whispers about the broken window. At assembly that morning the Principal, Mr. Brown, brought up the matter and asked for anyone who knew anything about the window to come to his office. If none came there would be further punishment. Steve could not get up enough courage to go to the office.

The next day Mr. Brown again spoke of the window and allowed three days more for anyone to come to him in regard to the matter. Still Steve could not go forward. When the three days were up, there was punishment of extra homework--no football. The extra homework was terrible but worst of all was Steve's feeling way down inside and the comments around the school. Everyone was angry with the window breaker and did not hesitate to make many unkind remarks.

"I ought to tell", he argued with himself. "It isn't fair to let the others pay for what I did. I'm just a coward, and everyone will hate me when they find out. Every day that I keep quiet will make it worse, but how can I tell Mr. Brown?"



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Then one day on the way home from school his friend Chuck said, "If I had broken that window, I wouldn't want to tell because I'd be scared. I think it was probably an accident. I wouldn't want to be in his shoes but I wouldn't hate him and I don't think anyone should."

That decided Steve. That and thinking how unfair he was being to the others. He went home, left his books and took his birthday money to the Principal's home. He told Mr. Brown the whole story and that he had brought his birthday money to help pay for the broken stained glass window.

"I think that you've been punished enough," said Mr. Brown. "You see, a window like this is made in very small sections and since you have broken only one, we can have it replaced at small cost. I realize that accidents will happen, Steve, and since you have made it right with yourself and with me, shall we call it square?"

"Thanks a lot, Mr. Brown, I've learned my lesson," replied Steve.

Frank Hanson '53

### "The Revolt of 'Mother'".

A New England farmer and his wife were standing in the barn door. Suddenly "Mother" looked through the wide doors and saw men digging in the field.

"What are they digging?" she asked. No reply came from Father; but Mother persisted until he finally admitted that they "might be digging a cellar".

"What is the cellar for?" she again questioned. Father made many evasive answers until she succeeded in making him admit that this was the foundation for a new barn. For thirty years Father had been promising to build her a house on this very spot. Mother began to remind him of his promise but Father edged away and finally escaped without making further answer.



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Mother went back to the poor, mean, little house. It had been a fair dwelling, filled with hope and promise when Father had brought her here as a bride and had said that in a year or two he would build a new house in the field beyond.

Father had prospered and had added many fields to his farm and new barns for his large herd of cows. As a result, the house began to look poverty-stricken and a poor place indeed for a prosperous farmer.

Mother found that her son, Sammy, had known about the new barn for three months and, like Father, thought the barn more necessary than a better house. After Sammy left for work, mother and Sue talked of the daughter's approaching marriage and Sue spoke with bitterness of the poor, shabby home in which she would have to be married. In a peevish tone she remarked, "Bob and I might be married in the new barn. At least it would be clean and there would be plenty of room". Mother made no reply, and such a strange look came over her face that Sue asked what was the matter with her.

The barn, in time, was finished and nowhere could a better built barn be found. When Father came in one day, Mother again pleaded with him for a new house. She reminded him of the shed-kitchen and the two unfinished attic rooms where Sue and Sammy slept. Father escaped. He must go get gravel for the driveway he explained as he hurried out.

The next day Father set out early to buy a new horse. Then something happened. Mother took command. She ordered Sammy to help Sue and her move all their belongings into the new barn; the barn that was finer and more complete than many a house. When the hired man drove up with the cows, Mother told him to put some in the shed-kitchen and the rest in the bedroom and living room of the old house.

How spacious the new home seemed and how comfortable and homelike! The stove was set in the new milk room where there were shelves and cupboards that Mother never had had in the old house. Supper, the kind that Father liked, was cooked and ready.



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When Father returned, he went to the house. There were cows in the kitchen, cows in the bedroom, cows in the parlor - no rugs, no chairs, no dishes, nothing but cows. Just then Sue called him to his new home. He sat down to eat, too dazed to talk. He ate in silence then went outside and Mother followed. She laid her arm around his shoulder as she heard him almost sob. Father at last realized that in pushing on and on toward success he had forgotten some very important things. He had put his cows above his family. No more! The large new barn would be made into the best home in the land and all for his family.

Mary Grant '52

## THE DREAM OF PEACE

There had been a series of disagreements in the neighborhood. The days were hot and humid, tempers were a trifle frayed, and words had become bitter up and down Friendly Lane, until that pleasant name for a pleasant street seemed inappropriate.

But things did not really begin to happen until Mr. Williams borrowed Mr. Thomas' hedge shears. The evening after the shears came home, Mr. Thomas went out to trim his own hedge. He stormed back a few minutes later flushed and unhappy.

"That man Williams has ruined my shears!" he growled. "Instead of cutting, the crazy thing chews!"

Mrs. Thomas wiped the dishwater from her hands and went out to inspect the hedge. And indeed, Mr. Thomas was right. Every time the shears bit into the hedge, they hung on for dear life and refused to let go.

"I'm going to see about this!" Mr. Thomas said darkly. But before he could voice any of the threats that were bothering him, Mr. Williams' angry face loomed up above the other side of the hedge.

"You'll have to tie up your dog, Thomas," Mr. Williams said gruffly. His plump face was fierce. "With deliberate intent and malice aforethought, that dog of yours has dug up all of my tulip bulbs!"

"You---you---lawyer!" shouted Thomas. "You--".



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But Mrs. Thomas was plucking at her husband's sleeve, and because Mrs. Thomas never plucked unless she meant it, Mr. Thomas turned abruptly, and after casting a storm of daggers at Mr. Williams, he followed her into the house.

The next morning Mr. Thomas and Mr. Williams rolled their cars down their separate driveways, but only nodded coldly. As soon as the three small Thomases had left for school, Mrs. Thomas got busy on the telephone. She called Grace Williams, Emmeline Jenkins, and Flora Peters, and said that she had some apple muffins in the oven and wouldn't they like to run over for a cup of coffee.

An hour later the ladies, each carrying a copy of Mrs. Thomas' recipe for apple muffins, departed in the best of spirits.

That night when Mr. Thomas came home, Mrs. Thomas said, "Albert, I've something to tell you."

"Tell me later," Mr. Thomas replied curtly; "I've had a terrible day at the office." This was not really true, but he said it anyway.

"But, Albert," Mrs. Thomas said, "this is good news! You'll like it! Flora and Emmeline and Grace were over this morning for a cup of coffee, and we all decided to have a steak fry---just like old times!"

"What about my shears?" cried Mr. Thomas.

"Oh, that!" Mrs. Thomas replied. "Those aren't your shears at all. They are George Williams' old shears. That's why he borrowed yours, because his chew. I apologized to Grace about the dog digging up their tulip bulbs, and offered to replace them, but she said they weren't hurt a bit, and George just planted them all over again. And then I just casually mentioned about the shears, and she said that there had been a terrible mistake---they had returned the wrong shears to you."

"Well!" exclaimed Mr. Thomas; "that's different!"

"And then I told Mrs. Jenkins," Mrs. Thomas continued, "how sorry I was about the garage, and said that it was all our Tommy's fault" and Grace Williams said, "no, it was all Billy's fault." Then Mrs. Jenkins said that boys will be boys, and that Mr. Jenkins had gone over the burned place with a bit of paint, and it didn't show.



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"Then Mrs. Peters apologized to Mrs. Jenkins about smoking up the lace curtains with her trash fire, and Mrs. Jenkins apologized for Mr. Jenkins mowing the lawn so early on Sunday morning."

Mr. Thomas beamed at Mrs. Thomas and exclaimed, "Well, Liza, you're quite a diplomat!"

"Oh, it was nothing," Mrs. Thomas said modestly.

The steady fry was a huge success, and that night Mrs. Thomas had quite an unusual dream. She dreamed that she and Mr. Thomas were the United States of America, and that all the people on Friendly Lane were members of the United Nations. In her dream it seemed that all the problems confronting the world could be solved as easily as the little problems of the Jenkins, the Williams, the Peters, and the Thomas families---that all the big problems needed was just a little more understanding, patience, and good feeling of neighborliness.

Mrs. Thomas could hardly wait for morning to come so that she could tell Mr. Thomas about it. And when she did, Mr. Thomas listened to her very respectfully, as he usually did, and said that it was a very fine dream, and that if there were enough Liza Thomases in the world that the dream might very well come true.

Then Mr. Thomas went out to get his car, speaking cordially to Mr. Williams, who was also getting his car. And Mrs. Thomas began washing the breakfast dishes.

Mildred Hanson '52



# [ POETRY ]

## A DREAM

I like to walk through the woods each day  
And let my mind just wander away  
To the tree tops above.  
I watch the birds as they fly so high  
And wish that I could soar through the sky  
It's Nature's beauty I love.

There's Autumn's colors so bright and bold,  
And Summer's green with flowers of gold.  
Boundless joy fills my heart.  
Then Winter's snow falls all around,  
And makes a white blanket on the ground.  
Yes, Nature does her part.

Richard Ham '54

All the water in the world,  
However hard it tried,  
Could never, never sink a ship  
Unless it got inside.

All the evil in the world,  
The blackest kind of sin,  
Can never hurt you one least bit --  
Unless you let it in.

Genice Rowe '52

## TODAY

The acorn rose to a mighty oak;  
The brook became the sea,  
And the first grader grew to a graduate,  
As grand as grand can be.

## THE SUNBEAM

### THE PSALM OF A CHEMISTRY TEACHER

He is my teacher. I shall not pass  
He maketh me to read page after page  
He compelleth me to write difficult equations  
He maketh me to stop experimenting  
For my class' sake.  
Yea! Though I study and study  
I gain no knowledge  
For my formulas sorely bore me.  
He giveth me "F".  
Surely symbols and formulas will  
Follow me all the days of my life,  
And I shall dwell in the Chemistry class  
Forever.

Genice Rowe '52

"Goodbye!" the old desk whispered  
When I cleaned my papers out.  
"Good luck!" the school room murmured  
As I went my way about.  
"Have courage!" spoke the blackboard,  
And I thanked it for its words;  
It knew the battle I had had with  
Fourths and fifths and thirds.  
"Forget-me-not," the aged door  
Creaked as I went through.  
"The end has come!" I answered,  
Looking up at skies of blue.  
But at that moment Time's clear voice  
Was added to the fun:  
"Oh, no!" he said. "It's not the end ---  
Your life has just begun."

### ENGLISH

Do's and Dont's  
Will's and Wont's  
They all come marching by.  
Our brains keep turning  
While we are learning  
English, at Hollis High.



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A-is for Alvin, our popular lad,  
B-is for Barbara, who never is sad.  
C-is for Charlene, who likes all the boys,  
D-is for Donnie, he makes lots of noise.  
E-is for Ellen, she talks round the clock,  
F-is for Fred built like a bean stalk.  
G-is for Genice, the one boys adore,  
H-stands for Hansons in school there are four.  
I-is for Intelligence, to us this is dim,  
J-is for June, John, Judy, and Jim.  
K-is for Ken our Biology guy,  
L-is for Lloyd who makes the gals sigh.  
M-is for Mary, an outstanding lass,  
N-is for Norma in the Freshman class.  
O-is for others that aren't mentioned here,  
P-is for Paul the girls think he's dear.  
Q-is for Quizes, that give us the shakes,  
R-is for Raymond, his stories are fakes.  
S-is for Sheila, a pest on the bus,  
T-stands for teachers who quiet the fuss.  
U-is for upperclass in which we have nine,  
V-is for vacation to us it's just fine.  
W-is for William, we know him as Bill,  
X-is for x-rays, Mrs. Corey's had her fill.  
Y-is for the years thru which we will roam,  
Z-zips up our Alphabet poem.

Mary Grant '52  
Sheila Flanagan '52

## FRESHMEN

The Freshmen are so very bright,  
So filled with nonsense gay;  
So smart and peppy -- don't you wish  
That you could be that way?

Our teachers sometimes scold us good,  
But we just give a smile,  
And win their hearts completely so  
They pass us all the while.

Sylvia Nichols '55

## THE SUNBEAM

### Our Bus Driver

Our bus driver is Genice,  
Who is always on time.  
Then she picks up Ellen,  
But Bea's always behind.

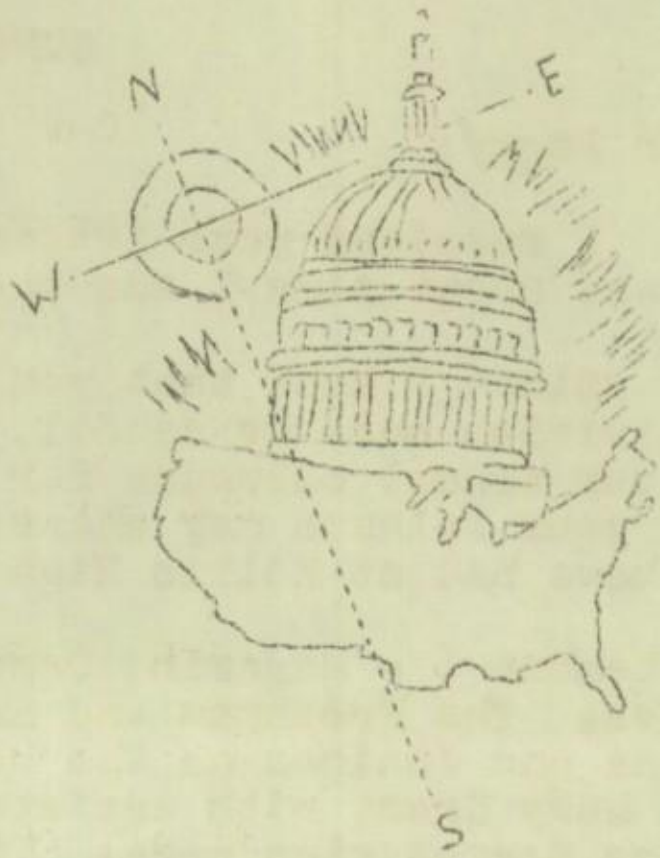
Then on to Flannigan's,  
Those two girls so jolly.  
First comes Charlene,  
Then Sheila--Oh golly!

The next stop is at Polly's,  
Just over the hill.  
All hope they will make it,  
With never a spill.

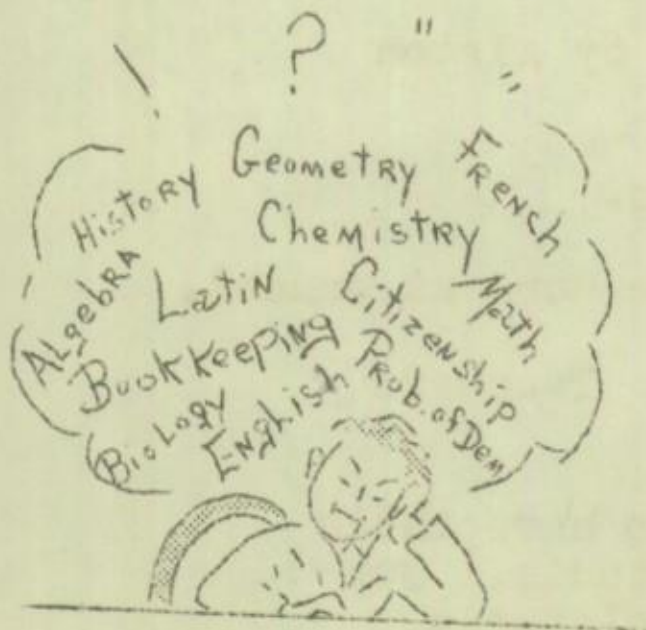
As we start off to school,  
The thought makes us bored.  
But we still like our ride,  
In Howe's little old Ford.

Polly Davis '53





# SCHOOL ACTIVITIES





THE SUNBEAM  
SCHOOL CALENDAR

Dear Peggy;

I received your letter last weekend and thought it was about time I answered it.

Since I know that you are interested in our activities here at school, I am sending you a copy of our school calendar for this year, so that you and your friends may share in the fun and good times we have had at Hollis High this year.

September 6 - Magazine Campaign started. We had two sides. The Freshmen and Seniors as one and the Sophomores and Juniors as the other. The business Manager was Mary Grant with assistant, Shirley Huff. The Class Secretaries were: Freshmen, Sylvia Nichols; Sophomore, Carolyn Haley; Junior, Frank Hanson, and Senior, Carl Huff. The Freshmen and Seniors won.

September 21 - Freshman Reception. Today as we arrived at school, we saw a number of funny looking creatures running around. At first we thought we had been invaded by Mars, but they turned out to be only our Freshmen. That evening the Juniors gave the Freshmen a frightening time, but they seemed to enjoy the dance afterwards.

October 5 - Horseshoe preliminary here with Limington. Hollis won.

October 10 - Horseshoe finals at Limerick. Hollis was defeated.

October 11 - School pictures were taken by Alston Studio.

October 11 and 12 - First six-week exams.

October 12 - Sophomore Class had a dance here at school.

October 25 and 26 - Oh, boy, no school! Teachers Convention.

October 31 - Seniors went to Portland to have their class pictures taken by Jackson-White Studio. But we didn't know it took so long to have pictures taken. Good movie, huh, kids!



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November 1-Spelling Contest at Limington with Sheila Flanagan, Genice Rowe, Alice Benson and Leona Smith representing Hollis. Well! You tried didn't you, girls.

November 12 - School pictures came back from Alston Studio. Is this the way we look?

November 15 - The Senior Play, "Mama's Baby Boy" was presented at Clarks Mills.

November 16 - The Senior Play was presented again at West Buxton. What fun!

November 19 - Round Robin game at Limington. At last the basketball season is here!

November 20 and 21 - Second six-weeks exams.

November 22 and 23 - Thanksgiving vacation. I guess it was a good thing we had a vacation because everybody ate so much it took all weekend to recover.

November 27 - First Basketball game with Limerick at Buxton. Our boys and girls both won.

December 5 - Senior Supper at Hollis Center. \$45.00 for the bank account.

December 19 - Christmas Party. We all had a swell time and headed home for two whole weeks of vacation.

January 10 and 11 - Mid-year exams. Now the Freshmen know that they are in Hollis High School.

January 17 - Hollis High and Hollis Alumni played a basketball game at Buxton for the benefit of the Polio Fund.

January 18 - Roger Ferris of the State Police came in and spoke to us and also showed us two movies.

January 18 - Movie, "The Corsican Brothers" lent to us by the Lions Club

January 21 and 22 - Mrs. Corey was out with a broken wrist. Mrs. Gertrude Elwell was our substitute teacher.

January 29 - Movie, "A Ticket to Tomahawk."



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February 5 - Tournament game at Limington. We played Cornish and were defeated. Oh, well, we'll try again next year.

February 6 - Senior and Freshmen went to Gorham to the movies for winning the Magazine Campaign.

February 12 - Movie, "I Was a Male War Bride."

February 14 - Valentine Party sponsored by the Student Council for the students.

February 15 - The beginning of a ten-day vacation.

February 25 - All set for real work on the yearbook.

February 26 - All League Game at Limington. Sheila, Mary, Everett and Sonny played in the games from Hollis.

February 29 - All Star Game at Limington. What's the matter with you boys. Can't you beat the coaches??

March 3 - Seniors served lunch at Town Meeting.

March 5 - No school. Stormy weather.

March 6 - Ellen and Sheila left for Connecticut to sing in the New England Music Festival.

March 10 - The Yearbook pictures were taken. Everyone looked real snazzy.

March 21 - Freshman Dance. Very nice work and big success.

March 25 - Senior supper at Hollis Center.

March 28 - Card party here at the school sponsored by Junior Class.

April 2 - Checker tournament at Limington.

April 4 - Seniors left for New York and Washington.

April 13 - They all arrived home in one piece.

April 18 - Sophomores had an April Shower Dance.



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April 29 - Our Speaking Contest held at West Buxton.  
Nice work Ellen.

May 2 - Junior Prom at West Buxton.

May 5 - Teachers Convention. Oh boy! No school!!

May 6 - Baseball Season starts.

May 7 - Prize speaking at Tory Hill.

May 13 - Movie. "Come to The Stable."

May 17 - Track meet at Limerick.

June 11 - Picnic at Old Orchard.

June 8 - Baccalaureate at Hollis Center.

June 13 - Graduation at West Buxton.

## VALENTINE PARTY

On February 14, the Student Council had a real Valentine Party and what fun! As part of the program we had "The Corsican Brothers" for a movie. Refreshments of punch and cookies made the party complete.

## CHRISTMAS PARTY

December 19 was the last day of school and we celebrated with our annual party. Besides the exchange of gifts, Sheila read a story which explained the meaning of the Lord's Prayer. Refreshments of ice cream and cake finished the party and we went home until January 2.



THE SUNBEAM  
POPULARITY POLL

GIRLS

Best Looking - Genice Rowe, Sheila Flanagan  
Best Athlete - Genice Rowe  
Most Likable - Sheila Flanagan  
Most Studious - Sylvia Nichols  
Best Figure - Mary Grant  
Prettiest Eyes - Sheila Flanagan  
Biggest Flirt - Charlene Flanagan  
Best Dancer - Sheila Flanagan  
Best Dressed - Genice Rowe  
Best Date - Sheila Flanagan  
Daydreamer - Genice Rowe  
Best Natured - Sheila Flanagan  
Prettiest Hair - Sheila Flanagan  
Nicest Smiles - Sheila Flanagan, Genice Rowe  
Wittiest - Charlene Flanagan, Rachel MacDonald  
Best Actress - Sheila Flanagan  
Most Inquisitive - Carolyn Haley  
Best Personality - Sheila Flanagan  
Most Popular - Sheila Flanagan  
Most Talkative - Ellen Pelton  
Most Romantic - Sheila Flanagan  
Man Hater - Carolyn Haley  
Lovliest Complexion - Genice Rowe  
Noisiest - Carolyn Haley

BOYS

Best Looking - Alvin Harmon  
Best Athlete - Everett Towle  
Most Likable - Lloyd Haskell  
Most Studious - Kenneth Smith  
Best Build - Albert MacDonald  
Prettiest Eyes - Alvin Harmon  
Biggest Flirt - James Harmon  
Best Dancer - Albert MacDonald  
Best Dressed - Everett Towle  
Best Date - Everett Towle  
Daydreamers - Walter Grant, Clinton Haskell  
Best Natured - James Harmon, Alden Ramsdell, Lloyd Haskell  
Prettiest Hair - Alvin Harmon  
Nicest Smiles - Lloyd Haskell, Alvin Harmon  
Wittiest - Raymond Haskell  
Best Actor - Everett Towle  
Most Inquisitive - Walter Grant  
Best Personality - Alden Ramsdell  
Most Popular - Everett Towle  
Most Talkative - Raymond Haskell  
Most Romantic - Albert MacDonald  
Women Hater - Cecil Benson  
Noisiest - Raymond Haskell



## *Orchestra*



Left to Right: Sheila Flanagan, Leona Smith, Polly Davis, Carolyn Haley, Mildred Hanson, Gloria Bickford.

## *Spelling*



Left to Right: Leona Smith, Alice Benson, Sheila Flanagan, Genice Rowe.





## THE SUNBEAM

### SENIOR PLAY

Our senior play, "Mama's Baby Boy", exceeded the speed limit in laughs. Imagine an eighteen year old son dressed as a youth of fourteen and a seventeen year old daughter posing as a girl of thirteen, so their respective parents may appear younger than forty. This situation leads to no end of amusing complications. Everyone gets himself into hot water but all is worked out satisfactorily and the play ends with two romances. "Mama's Baby Boy" was well adapted to our class and each member of the cast deserves credit for his hard work in making our play a success.

#### The Cast

Mrs. Shephard McLean, a young widow	Sheila Flanagan
Shephard McLean, her young son	Kenneth Smith
Luther Long, a widower	Everett Towle
Juliet Long, his young daughter	Genice Rowe
Mrs. Matilda Blackburn, Mrs. McLean's mother	Gloria Bickford
Wilbur Warren, Shephard's young pal	Carl Huff
Sylvia Kline, Wilbur's girl friend	Ellen Pelton
Mrs. Carlotta Anglin, Mrs. McLean's friend	Mildred Hanson
Cynthia Anglin, her young daughter	Mary Grant
Max Moore, a real estate agent	Alden Ramsdell
Minnie, a young colored maid	Alice Benson
Stage Manager	Albert MacDonald



## THE SUNBEAM

It was Friday, April 4th, at 9:30 P. M. when a peppy, wide awake looking group of seniors with Mrs. Corey as chaperone, boarded the bus at Biddeford. Before leaving the big city, Everett became homesick and wanted his mama, but with Mrs. Corey's help he soon lost it.

We arrived in Boston at 12:15 and left for New York City at 12:30 with West Paris. By this time everyone felt that a little rest might be of use. At three we stopped somewhere in Connecticut and had a little lunch.

We arrived at the Piccadilly Hotel in New York at 7:00. All accounted for except Mrs. Corey's suitcase. At ten we went to Radio City Music Hall. Here we saw the movie "Singing in the Rain" and the Rockettes. Late in the afternoon we went to the Statue of Liberty. It had been raining about all day, but during the time we were up in the Statue it had cleared. On the way back in the boat there was a slight accident. Kenneth thought he'd lost his glasses, but was soon told that he had them on, which solved the problem at once. In the evening there was the tour of NBC then up to Rockefeller Observatory, and to the TV Show "Your Hit Parade." Then back to the hotel for some much needed sleep. Just to show you how a trip like this can affect anyone, Everett brushed his teeth with shaving cream before going to bed.

Sunday - We left the hotel at 8:15 A. M. with the Littleton group in a new bus and "Charlie" as driver. At noon we ate at the "Maryland" in Aberdeen, then on through Baltimore and saw the marble steps and some of the interesting buildings. At Annapolis the museum, chapel and sample dormitory room were very interesting, but there were only a few of the "middies" and we really hoped to see lots. Arrived in Washington late in the afternoon.

Monday - The first stopping place this morning was Arlington Cemetery. Here we saw the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier and the changing of the guards. This was very impressive. Later in the morning we went to the George Washington Masonic Memorial, and on to Mt. Vernon. On the Mt. Vernon highway, Charlie pointed out to us the only house in Virginia having five kitchens - Mr. and Mrs. Kitchen and their three children. We spent the entire afternoon visiting the Smithsonian Institute, Natural Art Building and the Botanical Garden.



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That night we saw the Lincoln Memorial, Congressional Library and by paying Charlie one cent, we saw the cherry blossoms with colored lights on them. These were all very interesting.

Tuesday - On the tour of the Bureau of Printing and Engraving everyone wished we might have a few samples to take home, and at the Washington Monument everyone was glad they didn't have 898 steps to climb every day. Before noon we toured the Capitol and Supreme Court. The group picture was taken in front of the Capitol. The Franciscan Monastery was very interesting and its gardens were lovely. Then on to the Washington Cathedral and the Zoo. We didn't have as much time at the Zoo as some of us would have liked. Several of the group attended a night club that evening, and I don't know what the trouble was, but everyone was back by 9:30.

Wednesday - This morning some of us got a few extra winks of much needed sleep. At 11:30 we left for Virginia and went up through the Shennadoah Valley. For a really good ride you should cross the Blue Ridge Mountains and take the sharp hair-pin curves in a bus. Everyone was quite surprised when we got to the large town of New Market. The Endless Caverns were the point of interest tonight, and after supper of southern fried chicken, we enjoyed a tour through the beautiful Caverns and a dance afterward that kept us up until ten. It seems funny, but the boys thought the nights were very short and wet in Virginia. The girls didn't seem to be bothered by this fact.

Thursday - At our first stop this morning, we saw the Court House where John Brown was tried and where he was later hanged. Dinner was served us at the Francis Scott Key Hotel in Frederick, Pa. After dinner we visited Barbara Fretchie's house.

This afternoon we went through Gettysburg and arrived at the Yorktowne Hotel late this afternoon. Everyone dressed up tonight for dinner in the Ballroom.

Friday - At Valley Forge when we visited Washington's winter quarters, Everett was disappointed because George wasn't home. The George Washington Memorial Chapel here was very beautiful and some of us were fascinated by the chimes. We went through Philadelphia on our way back to New York, but didn't stop as some of the kids wanted to have two extra hours in New York.



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Tonight the Broadway hit "Paint Your Wagon" was enjoyed by the whole group.

Saturday - Today, no special tour was planned, so we went sight-seeing as we wanted -- a shopping trip on Fifth Avenue, a ball game, a movie, etc. took up the rest of our time. We wonder how Mrs. Corey can always find such extra friendly people to tell her how to get places. While waiting for the bus tonight, poor Henry Fonda came into the hotel for a shave and Sheila and Alice took right after him. It's funny, the girls are so interested in seeing certain folks have a shave.

All aboard at midnight for our trip home. All the way, Sheila held her "Yankee" banner while sleeping or whatever, and I'm afraid some people on the bus must have sore heads from getting poked with it by either Sheila or Mrs. Corey.

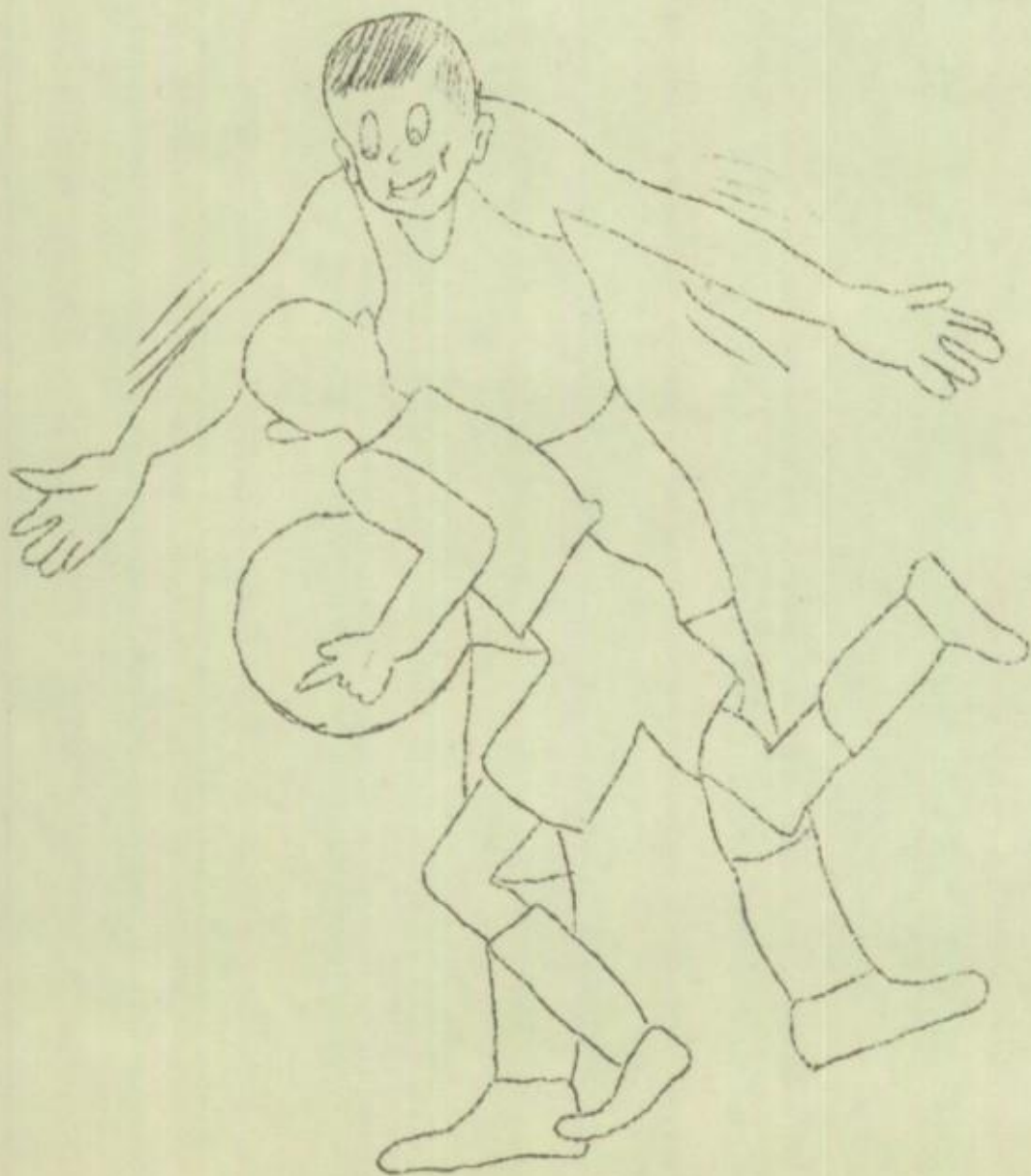
We certainly have had a wonderful trip even if when we did arrive in Biddeford we weren't quite as much awake as when we left. We couldn't have asked anyone more wonderful to go on the trip with us than Mrs. Corey, and we wish to thank her for everything she did to make our trip the great success that it was.

Mildred Hanson '52





# SPORTS



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# THE SUNBEAM

## Girls Basketball

Twelve girls began basketball practice early in October. Mr. Flynn has coached the team to a successful season. This year's squad included:

Sheila Flanagan, Captain	Muriel Hamilton
Genico Rowe	Rachel Macdonald
Mary Grant	Barbara Matthews
Gloria Bickford	Carolyn Haloy
Judy Smith	Eeverly Bradbury
Polly Davis	Charlene Flanagan

### Scores

* Hollis 29	Alumni 41
* 36	18
* Hollis 28	Limington 43
24	54
* Hollis 59	Limerick 50
51	48
* Hollis 28	Waterboro 24
25	26
* Hollis 41	Alfred 16
Hollis 22	Buxton 26
* 15	19
Hollis 21	Cornish 24
* 25	34
Hollis 30	Potter 50

\* Home Games

## THE SUNBEAM

### Individual Scoring

Genice Rowe	228
Mary Grant	90
Rachel MacDonald	81
Polly Davis	16
Charlone Flanagan	7
Sheila Flanagan	4
Barbara Matthews	3
Judy Smith	2

All Star Players - Captain Sheila Flanagan and Genice Rowe.

### Girls Horseshoes

On October 5 , 1951, Alice Benson, Muriel Hamilton, Carolyn Haley, and Judy Smith represented us in the elimination contest between Limington High School and Hollis High School. We defeated Limington and then pitched against Cornish in the semi-finals, where we were defeated.

### SOFTBALL

Our girls had a softball team in the spring of 1951. Although there was no definite schedule, we played with Waterboro, Cornish and Buxton. Our players were:

Carolyn Haley	Rachel MacDonald
Ellen Pelton	Genice Rowe
Barbara Matthews	Sheila Flanagan
Gloria Bickford	Mary Grant
Polly Davis	Sonya Randolph
Judy Smith	



# THE SUNBEAM

## Boys Basketball

Mr. Russell, our new coach, started basketball practice in October. The boys have had a good season, winning ten out of fifteen games, and ended in a second place tie with Limerick. In the tournament they lost a close game to Cornish by the score of 37-36. This year's squad included:

Everett Towle, Captain

George Hanson

Lloyd Haskell

Paul Hanson

Richard Ham

Paul MacDonald

Alden Ramsdell

Robert Havu

Bill Ramsdell

Carlton Benton

Alvin Harmon

Clinton Haskell

James Harmon

Donald Hill

Frederick Mawhinney

### Scores

\* Hollis 31  
\* 44

Alumni 34  
32

\* Hollis 55  
37

Limington 31  
29

\* Hollis 41  
49

Limerick 39  
53

\* Hollis 50  
46

Waterboro 27  
36

\* Hollis 65  
70

Alfred 38  
63

\* Hollis 20  
40

Buxton 37  
51

\* Hollis 32  
55

Cornish 30  
38

Hollis 38

Potter 43

\* Home Games

## THE SUNBEAM

All Star Player - Everett Towle

All League Players - Everett Towle and Lloyd Haskell

### Individual Scoring

Lloyd Haskell - 102	Bill Ramsdell - 24
Richard Ham - 98	Paul MacDonald - 14
Alden Ramsdell - 56	George Hanson - 3
Alvin Harmon - 39	Carlton Benton - 3

### Boys Horseshoes

Our horseshoe tournament started with Hollis defeating Limington at Hollis. The finals were held at Limerick and Hollis was defeated in a very close game with Buxton. The score was 21-20. The boys who represented our school were Everett Towle, Skip Ramsdell, Freddy Mawhinney, and Bill Ramsdell.

### Ping Pong

In the C.Y.C.L. Table Tennis Tourney Hollis was represented by Frederick Mawhinney, Alden Ramsdell, and Gloria Bickford. In the first play off game our boys defeated Buxton. In the second play off, they defeated Alfred and are headed for a final win over Limerick.



## THE SUNBEAM

### THE GYMNASIUM

Hollis has waited many years for a gymnasium and this year the need has reached a new high. We no longer have the use of any building whatsoever for athletics. Youth must have a chance to play along with books. This is a part of education too. Physical fitness means mental alertness.

It is very pleasing to think that now we may have a central building near the school where many activities can be enjoyed. Those of us who are closely connected with basketball, senior plays, prize speaking and rehearsals of all kinds will find the extra time saved of great value. One on the outside little realizes how many hours have been wasted in travel from one place to another.

Of all the schools in this union, Hollis is the only one that to date has no gymnasium. Today is far different from yesterday. Our boys and girls should have an equal opportunity along with other schools. The lack of a proper place for basketball will end that sport for us. As a result our student body will become smaller. We all know that athletics help to keep many in school and our project in the educational system is to have as many high school graduates as possible. We want Hollis High School to stay open and not close its doors as several schools in this area have been compelled to do.

We hope that our friends, realizing this long standing inequality in Hollis, will do all in their power to push this project to a realization. In other words build us a gymnasium now when the need is the greatest.

The Seniors



## THE SUNBEAM

The C.Y.C.L. Track and Field meet was held at Limerick on May 17, 1952. In past years this has been a cut and dried victory for Buxton, but in 1952 there was a different story. With Alvin Harmon scoring heavily in five different events, Hollis coasted home the winners. Scoring in all events, Hollis received its strongest competition from Limerick and Buxton, who finished second and third respectively.

### Team Scores

Hollis	46
Limerick	28½
Buxton	21½
Waterboro	9
Alfred	5

### Individual scoring for Hollis:

Alvin Harmon	First place in the mile, Discus, and Broad Jump. Second in the High Jump & Javelin.	21 Pts.
Everett Towle	First in the Shot Put; Second in Broad Jump, 220, Third in Discus, 100,	15 Pts.
Jim Harmon	Fourth in Mile(tie), 220, 440, 880.	3½ Pts.
Alden Ramsdell	Second in 880.	3 Pts.
Lloyd Haskell	Third in the 440.	2 Pts.
Paul MacDonald	Third (tied) in High Jump	1½ Pts.

Alvin Harmon represented the school in the York County High School Meet at Thornton Academy May 24, 1952.



## Boys Basketball



Front Row; Left to Right: Alvin Harmon, Lloyd Haskell, Everett Towle, Coach Mr. Russell, William Ramsdell, Alden Ramsdell.

Standing: James Harmon, Donald Hill, Carlton Benton, Paul MacDonald, Clinton Haskell, Fredrick Mawhinney, George Hanson.

Absent: Richard Ham, Paul Hanson.

## Girls Basketball



Seated, Left to Right: Genice Rowe, Rachel MacDonald, Sheila Flanagan, Coach Mr. Flynn, Gloria Bickford, Judy Smith, Mary Grant.

Standing: Polly Davis, Beverly Bradbury, Carolyn Haley, Charlene Flanagan, Muriel Hamilton.

Absent: Barbara Matthews.





# THE SUNBEAM

## BASEBALL

Our baseball season started off very well last year, and we finished the season with five victories and two defeats.

PLAYERS		AVLRAGES	RUNS
Alvin Harmon	3b	.464	6
Everett Towle	p:rf	.430	4
Gene Thompson	ss	.409	10
Albert MacDonald	c	.378	9
Lloyd Haskell	lb	.350	5
Richard Ham	lf	.130	3
William Ramsdell	p	.095	4
Alden Ramsdell	2b	.053	7
Paul MacDonald	c	.000	0
George Hanson	c	.000	0

### Scores

Hollis 7	Limington 2
Hollis 1	Buxton 2
Hollis 7	Cornish 1
Hollis 10	Alfred 11
Hollis 6	Waterboro 0
Hollis 13	Potter 12
Hollis 8	Limerick 7

## THE SUNBEAM

### BASEBALL

Baseball and spring always go along together.  
Our schedule for 1952 follows:

May 6	Alfred at Hollis
May 8	Hollis at Waterboro
May 12	Hollis at Chebeague Island
May 15	Hollis at Limerick
May 19	Limington at Hollis
May 22	Hollis at Buxton
May 26	Cornish at Hollis

Our team will be:

Co-Capt. Everett Towle	3b
Co-Capt. Lloyd Haskell	ss
Alvin Harmon	c
Alden Ramsdell	2b
George Hanson	of
Jim Harmon	of
Richard Ham	1b-of
Fred Mawhinney	of
William Ramsdell	p
Paul MacDonald	of
Carlton Benton	of
Donald Day	of
Louis Thompson	1b
Clinton Haskell	of
Paul Hanson	of



## *Horseshoes*



Seated, Left to Right: Judy Smith, Alice Benson, William Ramsdell, Carolyn Haley, Muriel Hamilton.

Back Row: Alden Ramsdell, Everett Towle, Fredrick Mawhinney.

## *Baseball*



Seated, Left to Right: George Hanson, Alvin Harmon, Everett Towle, Coach Mr. Russell, Lloyd Haskell, William Ramsdell, Alden Ramsdell.

Standing: Donald Hill, Clinton Haskell, Paul MacDonald, Donald Day, Carlton Benton, Fredrick Mawhinney, James Harmon.

Absent: Richard Ham, Paul Hanson.





## THE SUNBEAM

### Exchanges

Alfred....."Garnet"  
Alfred High School

You have a wonderful yearbook, but why not try a few comments on exchanges?

Standish....."The Crimson Rambler"  
Standish High School

Your yearbook is very neat, but where are your jokes?

Limerick....."Sokokis"  
Limerick High School

Your yearbook is excellent. Keep up the good work.

Buxton....."The Crescent"  
Samuel D. Hanson High School

The first part of your yearbook is very interesting, but where is your exchange page? We think a few more jokes would do wonders to your book.

Bristol....."Bristolite"  
Bristol High School

Your yearbook is clever, but couldn't you have a few comments on exchanges and some jokes?

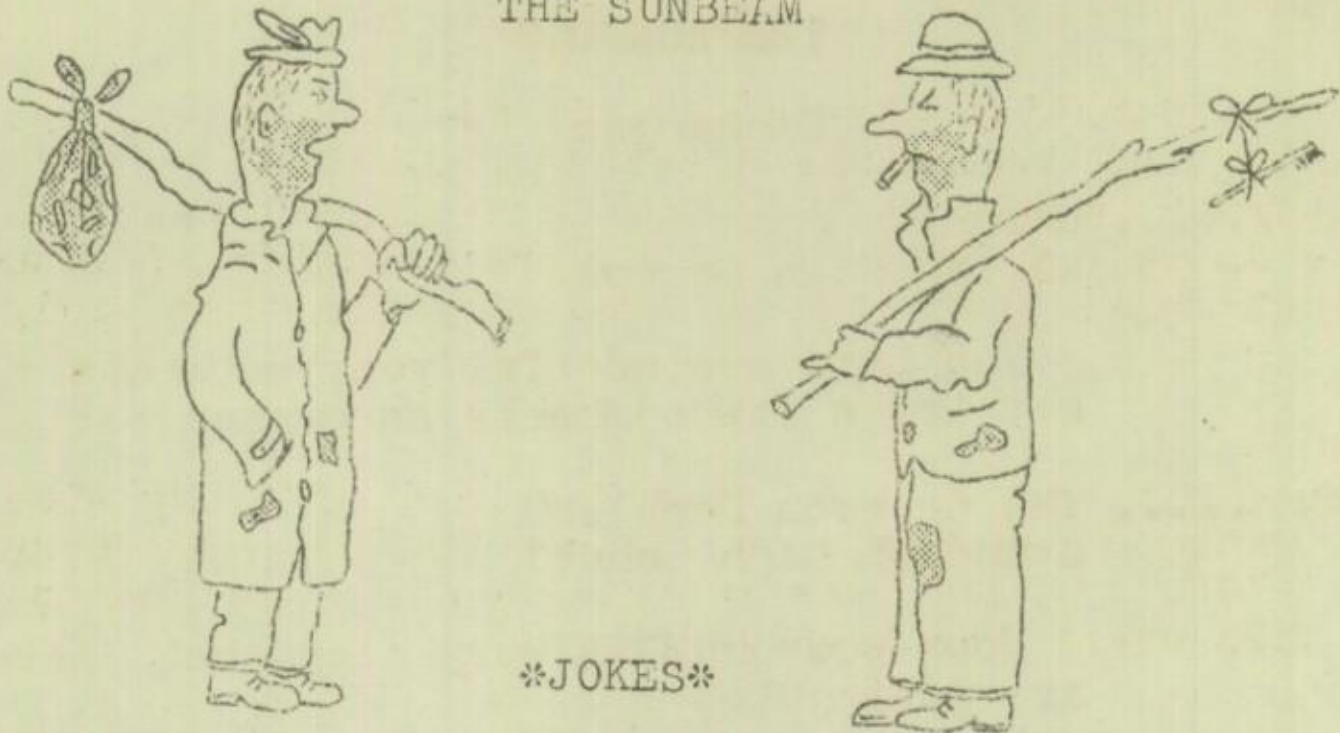
Gorham....."The Schola"  
Gorham High School

We found your yearbook very interesting. The pictures are excellent, but a little literature and an exchange page might add to it.

Kezar Falls..."The Outlook"  
Porter High School

A very neat and well arranged yearbook, the pictures and jokes increase the interest, but a literary department and some poems will add still more.

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\*JOKES\*

Mr. Flynn: "Have some trouble?"

Alvin: "No, thanks, I just had some."

No Evidence

Farmer Brown: "Quite a storm we had last night."

Farmer Jones: "Yes, it was."

Farmer Brown: "Damage your barn any?"

Farmer Jones: "Don't know. Haven't found it yet."

MEOW!

Motorist: "I ran over your cat and I've come to replace him."

Housewife: "Well get busy! There's a mouse in the pantry."

What's in a Name?

Mrs. Corey: "Are you chewing gum?"

Skip: "No, I'm Skip Ramsdell."

New Duties

Ben: "I hear you've got a new job at the hotel. What kind of work do you do?"

Ray: "I am a blacksmith."

Ben: "A blacksmith in a hotel?"

Ray: "Yes, I shoo flies."



## THE SUNBEAM

The great Canadian physician, Sir William Osler, was lecturing one day on the effects of alcohol. "Is it true", asked a student, "That alcohol makes people do things better?" "No," replied Sir William, "It just makes them less ashamed of doing them badly."

### No Work?

Clerk: "Sir, may I have next Thursday off? My wife and I want to celebrate our Silver Wedding Anniversary."  
Boss: "Great grief, are we going to have to put up with this every twenty-five years!"

### Poodle

A little boy had an awful habit of bringing home all the stray dogs he saw. One day, his father asked him what kind of a dog he had just brought home and the boy answered, "It's a poodle."  
Father: "Then why is it so dirty?"  
Boy: "It's a mud poodle!"

### Good Idea

Kenneth: "Why are you running that harrow around the grain field?"  
Carl: "We're raising shredded wheat this year."

### Different Approaches

A very thin man and a very fat man met in a hotel lobby one day. "By the looks of you," said the fat man to the thin man, "there might have been a shortage of food." "And by the looks of you," said the thin man to the fat man, "you might have caused the shortage."

### The Easy Way

John: "What man earns a living and doesn't do a day's work?"  
Mary: "Gee, I can't seem to think!"  
John: "A night watchman!"

### Afterthought

Polly: "Did I invite you to my lollipop party?"  
Ellen: "No, I don't believe you did."  
Polly: "I knew I left a sucker out somewhere."



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### Soft Landing

George: "When your watch fell out of your pocket  
why didn't it break?"

Paul: "Because it fell on its hands."

### Who Lives There?

Sonny: "What is the smallest room in the world?"

Frank: "A mushroom."

### East to Please

New Barber: "Do you want anything on your head when  
I finish?"

Customer: "Just two ears and a little hair."

### Why Bother?

Mother: "I can't eat this food. It's terrible."

Son: "Why don't you call the waiter?"

Father: "It isn't any use. He won't eat it either."

### Sweeter to Smell

Mrs. Corey: "Jimmy, what is your favorite flower?"

Jimmy: "Chrysanthemums."

Mrs. Corey: "Then spell it."

Jimmy: "W-e-l-l, maybe I like roses as well."

### Naughty Bee

Visitor: "One of your bees stung me and I want you  
to do something about it."

Keeper: "Certainly, ma'am. Just show me which bee  
did it, and I'll have it punished."

### What's the Rush

Two hawks flying along slowly. Suddenly a jet plane  
roared by, throwing out a trail of flaming gas.

"That bird is certainly in a hurry", remarked the  
first hawk. "You'd hurry too" said the other if  
your tail was on fire.



## THE SUNBEAM

### Heavy Duty

Mr. Russell: "Please don't make any more of these biscuits, dear."  
Mrs. Russell: "Why not?"  
Mr. Russell: "You're too light for such heavy work."  
Mrs. Corey: "What is the shape of the earth?"  
Everett: "I know. It's round."  
Mrs. Corey: "How do you know it's round?"  
Everett: "All right, then, it's square. I don't want to start an argument about it."

### Quick Trip

Old Lady: "Is that my bus over there?"  
Ticket Agent: "Yes, it goes to Texas in ten minutes."  
Old Lady: "My, it must travel fast!"

### Pictures

Sheila: "Do you know what the picture said to the wall?"  
Genice: "What did it say?"  
Sheila: "I haven't a chance. First they frame me, then they hang me."

### Unaware

Mrs. Corey: "Who can give me a sentence for the word 'unaware'?"  
Barbara: "The man was unaware of the fact that he was being followed."  
Mrs. Corey: "Fine, Barbara. Anyone else?"  
Jimmy: "My father wears red unaware."

### Natural Ability

Son: "I want to be a bone specialist when I get big."  
Father: "Well, you've certainly got the head for it."

### Democratic

A man hurried into a restaurant and asked the waitress, "Do you serve crabs?"  
"Sure," replied the waitress. "We serve anybody."





*In Memoriam*



GEORGE E. JACK

Principal Hollis High School 1912-1917; 1919-1920

Superintendent of Schools 1920-1951

Who for thirty-seven years was devoted to the welfare of  
Hollis High School.







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# THE SUNBEAM

## ALUMNI

### Class of 1900

Everett Hooper - Deceased.....York, Me.

### Class of 1941

Barbara Dennot - Teacher.....Northwood, N.H.  
Eugene Hebert - Truck Driver, Goodson Bros. Buxton, Me.  
Ruth Meserve Hebert - Pennebunk Shoe Shop. H.Center, Me.  
Virginia Ingalls Hobbs - Housewife.....Groton, Conn.  
Dorothy Palmer Thompson - Deceased  
Muriel Palmer Littlefield - Tel.Operator..Salmon F., Me.  
Elliot Scott - Body & Fender Work.....Birmingham, Ala.  
Elton Smith - Road Work.....Hollis Center, Me.  
Roberta Smith - Army Nurse.....Germany  
Arlene Walker Woodward - Housewife.....West Buxton, Me.

### Class of 1942

Margaret Anderson Pease - Housewife.....Calais, Me.  
Ruth Butler Stone - Housewife.....Biddeford, Me.  
John Drew, Jr. - Lumbering.....Hollis Center, Me.  
Adelaide Jack McGorrill - Housewife.....Portland, Me.  
Ruth Meserve Noble - Housewife.....Hollis Center, Me.  
Marian Robinson Atkinson - Housewife.....Bar Mills, Me.  
Phyllis Rowe Marshall - Hamilton Standard Co., Hartford  
Marie Ruthier Gerry - Housewife.....East Waterboro  
Pauline Seaward Bruns-Edward's & Walker's, Portland, Me.

### Class of 1943

Shirley Usher Towle - Housewife.....Providence, R.I.  
Gloria Huff Webber - Housewife.....Hollis Center, Me.  
David Towle - Brown University.....Providence, R.I.  
Ruby Anderson Smith - Housewife.....Auburn, Me.  
Clarissa Flewelling Jordan - Housewife.Haverhill, Mass.  
Martha Huff - At home.....Hollis Center, Me.  
Vernon Goff - State Highway Dept.....Hollis Center, Me.  
Marilyn Crockett Bradbury - HousewifeHollis Center, Me.  
Alice Alexander Bradbury - Housewife.Hollis Center, Me.  
Natalie Smith Miles - Housewife.....Biddeford, Me.  
Harry Wakefield - Central Me. Power..Hollis Center, Me.  
Richard Anderson - Farming.....Dayton, Me.  
Arlene Whitehouse Pitts - Housewife.....Limington, Me.  
Frances Smith Anderson - Housewife.....Dayton, Me.  
Elaine Allen - Lazy T Ranch.....Frazier Park, Calif.



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### Class of 1943 Continued

Dana Smith - U. S. Navy  
Marion Virgie Hodgkins - Housewife...Hollis Center, Me.  
Shirley Phillips Kroason - Housewife.....Mendon, Mass.  
Brenda Bradbury Junkins - Housewife....Parsonsfield, Me.  
Gertrude Butler Webb - Housewife....South Portland, Me.

### Class of 1944

Alva Dodge Smith - Housewife.....Hollis Center, Me.  
Beverly Rowe Martin - Housewife.....Gorham, Me.  
Marguerite Jack - Insurance Office.....Portland, Me.  
Sally Meserve Newton - Army Nurse.....Mississippi  
Pearl Huff Mitchell - Housewife.....Linorick, Me.  
Edrie Young Conloy - Housewife.....Portland, Me.  
Richard MacDonald - Teacher.....Wilson Mills, Me.  
Jeanette Tyler Mains - Housewife.....West Buxton, Me.

### Class of 1945

Eloise Allen Reed - Housewife.....Encino Park, Calif.  
Ruth Black Petrie - Office Work.....South Portland, Me.  
George Drew - Appliance Service Co...Hollis Center, Me.  
Wilmont Flewelling - Farmer.....Crouseville, Me.  
Joan Hanson Crosby - Housewife.....Portland, Me.  
Richard Huff - Army Paratroopers.....New York  
Earl Smith - Air Force.....Presque Isle  
Leo Smith - Lumbering.....Hollis Center, Me.  
Ira Young - Air Force.....Otisfield A. B., Mass.

### Class of 1946

Donald Havu - Northeastern Bus.College..... Hollis, Me.  
Bernard Littlefield-Canal Nat'l Bank.....Dayton, Me.  
Keith Whitehouse - N.E. Business College.W. Buxton, Me.  
Olive Pierce Whitehouse-First Nat'l W'hse.W.Buxton, Me.  
Carolyn Usher - Teacher.....Hollis Center, Me.  
Morton Grant - Army.....Germany  
Kenneth Day - Air Force.....Texas  
Herbert Crosby - Salesman.....Portland, Me.  
John McKenney - Saco Lowell.....Bar Mills, Me.  
Harvey Smith - Dupont's.....Scarborough, Me.



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## Class of 1947

Donald Drew - Bartlett Radio Co.....Hollis Center, Me.  
 Chauncey Gerry - Marines.....Germany  
 Dwight Southwick - Philco Wholesalers.....Hollis, Me.  
 Anita Hill - Student Nurse.....Portland, Me.  
 Harlan Goff - Navy Yard.....Portsmouth, N. H.  
 Barbara Lundberg Barrington-Housewife.....New York  
 Fred Smith - Saco Lowell.....Saco, Me.  
 Elsie Stearns Smith - Housewife.....Saco, Me.  
 Edwin Smith - Navy.....New Jersey  
 Rita Burnham Anderson - Housewife....Hollis Center, Me.  
 Ruth Goodwin Flewelling - Housewife....Crouseville, Me.  
 Stanley Townsend - University of Maine.....Orono, Me.  
 Myrna Crockett Whitten - Housewife...Hollis Center, Me.

## Class of 1948

Marion Benson Roberts - Tel. Office..Hollis Center, Me.  
 Verna Benson - Loring Studios.....Hartford, Conn.  
 Sandra McLeod - Christian Work.....Canada  
 Darthea Whitten Drew - Housewife.....Hollis Center, Me.  
 Barbara Day - First Nat'l. Warehouse.Hollis Center, Me.  
 Elliot Towle - Gray's Business Col...Hollis Center, Me.  
 Ansel Smith - Army ..... Arkansas  
 Duane Libby - Apprentice Caterpillar Tractor...Illinois

## Class of 1949

Etta Dennison Morton - Housewife.....Cornish, Me.  
 Albert Goodwin, Jr. - Lumbering.....Hollis Center, Me.  
 Lucille Hamilton Young - Housewife..South Dennis, Mass.  
 Frances Huff - General Housework.....Buxton, Me.  
 Howard Huff - Farming.....Hollis Center, Me.  
 Virginia Illingworth McKenney-Housewife..Bar Mills, Me.  
 Harold Johnson, Jr.-Army.....Kentucky  
 Isabelle Pinkham Gillis - Housewife....West Buxton, Me.  
 Frances Robinson - Student Nurse.....Portland, Me.  
 Constance Smith - Shaw's Market.....Groveville, Me.  
 Helen Smith - Central Maine Power Co.....Portland, Me.  
 Roger Smith - Air Force.....Bangor, Me.  
 Shirley Smith - Student Nurse.....Portland, Me.  
 Joan Virgie Osborne - Housewife.....Rockland, Me.



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## Class of 1950

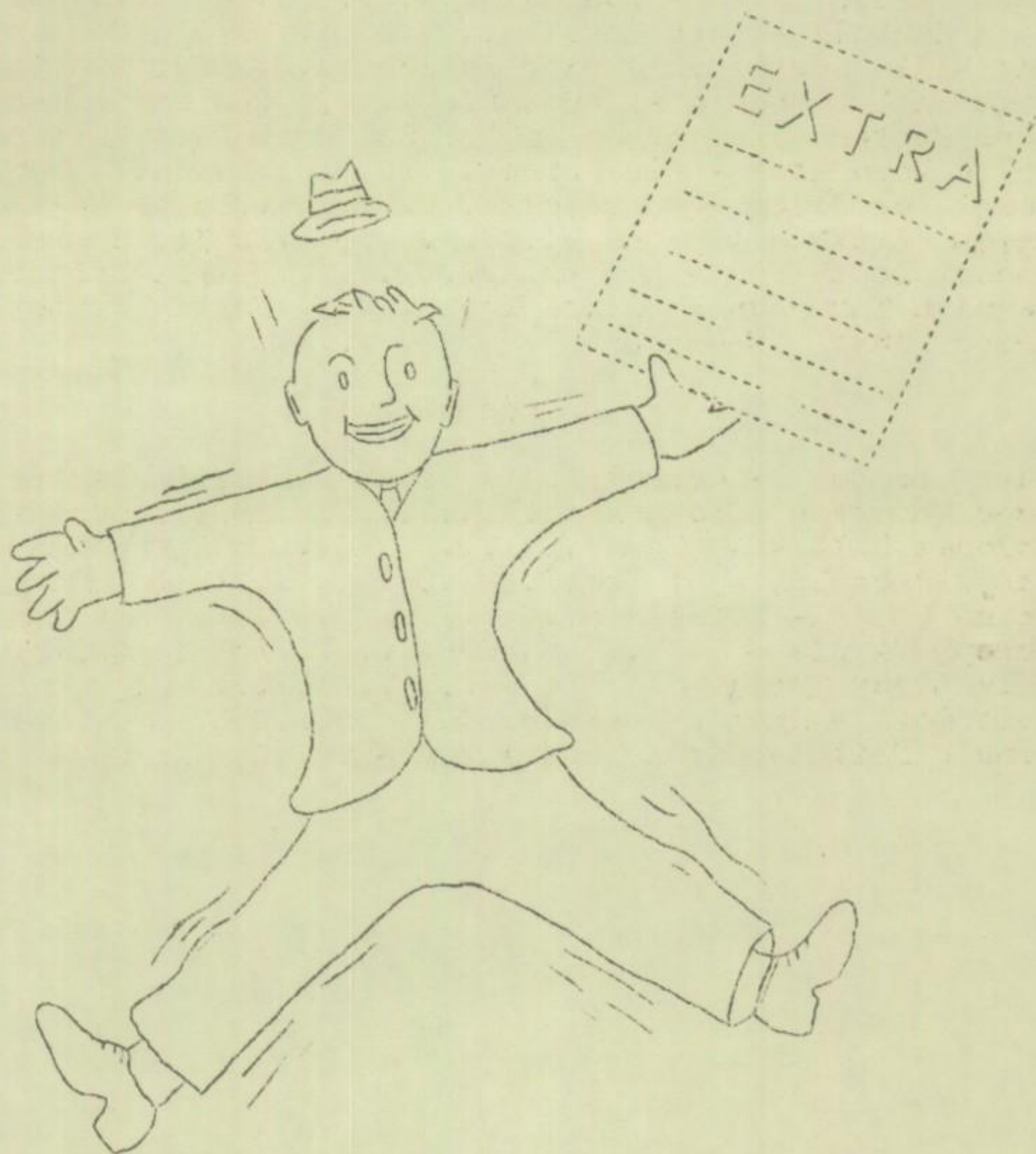
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 Donald Dodge - Gray's Business College..Hollis Center, Me.  
 Dorine Dodge - Gorham State Teachers C..Hollis Center, Me.  
 Ronald Ferguson - Air Force.....Boston, Mass.  
 Keith Goff - University of Maine.....Orono, Me.  
 Marjorie Haley - Gordon College.....Boston, Mass.  
 Anna Hanson Blake - Housewife.....Limington, Me.  
 Joan Haskell - Saco Lowell.....Hollis Center, Me.  
 Kay Hill - Westbrook Junior College.....West Buxton, Me.  
 Avis Libby Goodwin - Housewife.....Hollis Center, Me.  
 Anne Mouton - Westbrook Junior College..West Buxton, Me.  
 Irvin Pendleton - Air Force.....New York  
 Pearl Pendleton - Housework.....Kezar Falls, Me.  
 Myrle Smith - At Home.....Hollis Center, Me.  
 Robert Southwick - Lumbering.....Hollis Center, Me.  
 Carolyn Thompson - Office Work.....Hollis Center, Me.  
 Bruce Young - Service .....

## Class of 1951

Harry DeShon - Gorham State Teachers..Hollis Center, Me.  
 Gene Thompson - Saco Lowell.....Hollis Center, Me.  
 Dolores Hill - At Home .....,Hollis Center, Me.  
 Sonya Randolph - At Home .....,West Buxton, Me.  
 Norma Usher - McLellans.....West Buxton, Me.  
 Joseph Virgie - L. L. Bradbury.....Hollis Center, Me.  
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